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CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/EP2004/008836 INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE August 6, 2004  
TITLE OF INVENTION MATERIALS BASED ON SIALON'S

APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Bitterlich, et al.

Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

- This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371 (f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.
- The US has been elected (Article 31).
- A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2))
  - is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
  - has been communicated by the International Bureau.
  - is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
- An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)).
  - is attached hereto.
  - has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3))
  - are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
  - have been communicated by the International Bureau.
  - have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
  - have not been made and will not be made.
- An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).
- An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(4)).
- An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).

Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:

- An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
- An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
- A preliminary amendment.
- An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.
- A substitute specification.
- A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.
- A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825.
- A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- A second copy of the English language translation of the International application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- Other items or information:

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